## Spelling list: The -cial ending

In these words the sound /sh I/ is spelled cial.

artificial The new football ground used **artificial** grass.

beneficial Exercise is **beneficial** to your health.

commercial Christmas has become a **commercial** holiday.

crucial They reached a **crucial** stage in a project.

facial The drawings captured his **facial** expressions perfectly.

financial They consulted a **financial** expert.

glacial The melting of **glacial** ice in the Arctic is a major concern.

judicial A **judicial** enquiry would take place.

official She was required to attend many **official** engagements.

The changes to university housing were considered **prejudicial** to student

life.

prejudicial

provincial Many people moved from **provincial** areas to larger cities.

People of many different **racial** and ethnic backgrounds live in this diverse racial

city.

sacrificial Sacrificial offerings were placed on the alter.

special As it was a **special** occasion, they were allowed to leave school early.

social We had a **social** gathering to celebrate the event.

superficial His knowledge on the subject was **superficial**.